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FOR: METHOD FOR THE ENCRYPTION AND DECRYPTION OF
DATA BY VARIOUS USERS

AMENDMENT

Customer Service Window
Randolph Building
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July 6, 2007

Mail Stop Amendment

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated April 6, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the drawings begin on page 10 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.

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